

1 This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the
2 application:

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4 **Listing of Claims:**

5 1. (currently amended) A method for use in a graphical user interface
6 configured to support a login operation, the method comprising:

7 displaying at least one user identifier prompt within a graphical user
8 interface, the at least one user identifier prompt including at least one selectable
9 user area operatively associated with a previously configured user capable of
10 completing a login operation by inputting user password input;

11 upon receiving user input selecting the at least one selectable user area,
12 displaying at least one user input field within [a] the graphical user interface,
13 wherein the at least one user input field is automatically configured to operatively
14 receive user password input associated with the login operation; and

15 [determining when conditions allow for the reception of the user input; and
16 if] while conditions allow for the reception of the user password input and it
17 is determined that there has been a failure to operatively receive [correct] the user
18 password input for the login operation, then automatically displaying reminder
19 information associated with the user input field through a non-modal mechanism
20 within the graphical user interface.

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22 2-3. (previously cancelled)

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24 4. (canceled without prejudice)

1 5. (currently amended) The method as recited in Claim [4] 1, wherein
2 the reminder information includes user provided password reminder information.

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4 6-8. (previously cancelled)

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6 9. (currently amended) A computer-readable medium having computer-
7 executable instructions for causing at least one processing unit to support a login
8 operation by performing steps comprising:

9 displaying at least one user identifier prompt within a graphical user
10 interface, the at least one user identifier prompt including at least one selectable
11 user area operatively associated with a previously configured user capable of
12 completing a login operation by inputting user password input;

13 upon receiving user input selecting the at least one selectable user area,
14 displaying at least one user input field on the display within [a] the graphical user
15 interface, wherein the at least one user input field is automatically configured to
16 operatively receive user password input associated with the login operation;

17 [determining when conditions allow for the reception of the user input;]

18 determining if there has been a failure to operatively receive [correct] the
19 user password input for the login operation [when] while conditions allow for the
20 reception of the user input; and

21 automatically displaying reminder information associated with the user
22 input field through a non-modal mechanism within the graphical user interface
23 based on the failure to operatively receive [correct] the user password input.

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25 10-11. (previously cancelled)

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2 12. (cancelled without prejudice)
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4 13. (currently amended) The computer-readable medium as recited in
5 Claim [12] 9, wherein the reminder information includes user provided password
6 reminder information.

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8 14-16. (previously cancelled)
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10 17. (currently amended) An arrangement comprising:

11 memory;

12 a display device;

13 a user input device; and

14 a processor operatively coupled to the memory, the display device and the
15 user input device, the processor being configured to:

16 display at least one user identifier prompt within a graphical user interface
17 on the display device, the at least one user identifier prompt including at least one
18 selectable user area operatively associated with a previously configured user
19 capable of completing a login operation by inputting user password input;

20 receive user input selecting the at least one selectable user area, and in
21 response display at least one user input field within [a] the graphical user interface
22 [on the display device], wherein the at least one user input field is automatically
23 configured to operatively receive user password input associated with the login
24 operation;

25 [determine when conditions allow for the reception of the user input;]

1 determine if there has been a failure to operatively receive [correct] the user
2 password input for the login operation [when] while conditions allow for the
3 reception of the user input; and

4 automatically display reminder information associated with the user input
5 field through a non-modal mechanism within the graphical user interface based on
6 the failure to operatively receive [correct] the user password input.

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8 18-19. (previously cancelled)

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10 20. (cancelled without prejudice)

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12 21. (currently amended) The arrangement as recited in Claim [20] 17,
13 wherein the reminder information includes user provided password reminder
14 information previously stored in the memory.

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16 22-24. (previously cancelled)